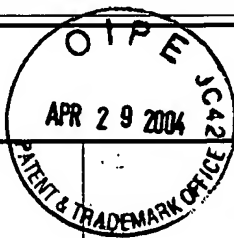


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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO  
THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES (Small Entity)**

Docket No.  
IDS-14602/14

In Re Application Of: Venegas, Jr.



Serial No.  
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Invention: **ENTRANCE BARRICADE FOR VEHICLES USING LOADING DOCKS, AND THE LIKE**

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated **September 25, 2003** finally rejecting Claim(s) 1-4

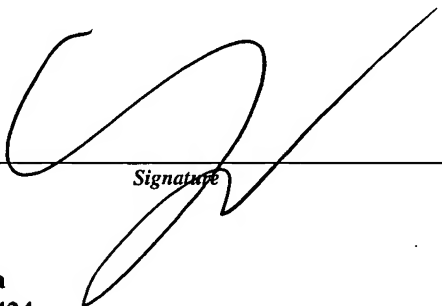
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A verified statement of small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27:

- ☐ is enclosed.
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